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RE-ISSUE PROCEEDING

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Title: Method for Dewatering Sludge

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RCE & OFFICE ACTION RESPONSE

Please enter this Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and Office Action Response (OAR), which is responsive to the Office Action (OA) mailed June 17, 2010.

Applicant responds as follows:

Office Interview

Applicant called and spoke with the Examiner on December 13, 2010.

Applicant and the Examiner discussed the Examiner's first rejection, e.g. provisional doubling patenting of 09/733,392 in light of Stover.

Applicant agreed to file a Terminal Disclaimer for the instant re-issue application.